

Idgah

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (a) 2. (c) 3. (b)
- B. 1. penury 2. strength 3. fruitful
- C. 1. The poet prays for strength to bear joys and sorrows, serve with love, neither to disown the poor nor bow to insolent power, to rise above daily trifles and to surrender himself to the Lord's will.
2. The poet means that he would accept God's will to direct his own strength and would submit his own will and desire to do whatever God wishes.
3. Any reasonable prayer is acceptable. This is a sample: Please help me God to be the best person I can be and be my strength. OR Lord, make me an instrument in Your hands to do good and to serve others.
- D. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. She is a beautiful girl. She is more beautiful than the other girls in her family.
2. She opened the door to welcome her daughter and son-in-law.
3. He invited his grandparents so that they could bless his newly-wed son and daughter-in-law.
4. Shakespearean plays are being read by people once again.
5. The child is so fat that it cannot stand on its feet.
6. Are human beings the best creation of God?
7. Our aunt loved us like her own children.
8. My grandmother is too old to manage everything on her own.
9. We should love everyone.
10. Small children never tell a lie.
- B. 1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (a)
- C. 1. Wasn't it? 2. Isn't it? 3. Isn't he? 4. Doesn't she? 5. Are they?
- D. 1. isn't it? 2. hasn't it? 3. isn't it? 4. does it? 5. weren't they? 6. can't you?
7. aren't they? 8. will he? 9. shan't we? 10. didn't he?
- E. 1. Isn't she? 2. Will she? 3. Hasn't he? 4. Weren't they? 5. Wasn't she?

SECTION C

- A. Select any idioms and make reasonable sentences.

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable story is acceptable.
- B. Any reasonable story is acceptable.

2. I Have a Dream

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (a) 3. (c)
- B. 1. Martin Luther King Jr. was an American clergyman, activist and leader in the African-American Civil Rights Movement. He is known for his advancement of civil rights by using non-violent means of disobedience.
2. The important event that occurred in 1955 was the Montgomery Bus Boycott.
3. The non-violent protest at Birmingham, Alabama, drew national attention because of the television news coverage of the brutal police response.
4. The speech 'I have a Dream' was delivered at Washington where Martin Luther King Jr. had organised a March in 1963.
5. Martin Luther King Jr. was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize on 14 November 1964, for fighting against racial inequality through non-violence.
6. The two other issues King took up later in life were poverty and the Vietnam war.
7. The two awards conferred on Martin Luther King Jr. posthumously were the Congressional Gold Medal and the Presidential Medal of Freedom.
- C. and D. Any reasonable answers are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. Our school's uniform is blue and white.
2. Our ancestor's property was donated to a famous charitable trust working in the field of education.
3. My father's private secretary is from Goa.
4. My uncle's children are highly religious and conservative.
5. Our new school principal's brother-in-law is the president of our apartments.
6. My uncle's home is located near a forest.
7. The policeman's car skidded off the road.
- B. 1. absence 2. presence 3. advice 4. length 5. sadness 6. adulthood
7. refreshment 8. entertainment 9. lunacy 10. neglected
- C. 1. Oxygen [subject]; life [object]
2. Greater Noida [subject]
3. mother [subject]; children's books [subject]
4. teacher [subject]; test [object]; spoken English [object]
5. sports teacher [subject]; cricket match [object]



6. popularity [subject]; PR [object]
7. children [subject]
8. price of gold in India [subject]; import policy [object]
9. children [subject]; stories, bed [object]
10. Gratitude [subject]; virtues [object]; parent of all others [object]

SECTION C

- A. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. The following are illustrative:
1. The puppy ran around among the guests. The boy sat between his parents.
 2. We were altogether wrong about him. We were all together in the house.
 3. We can make alternate arrangements for stay. We have no alternative to this.
 4. His business flourished due to his efforts. Mind your own business!
 5. I will be out for a week. He has been away since the 14th of last month.
- B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. The following are illustrative:
1. It's not secret, for everyone knows it. I'm going because it's late.
 2. Meenu has the ability to act. He doesn't have the capacity to bear this load.
 3. The picture hangs above his chair. The cat jumped over the plate.
 4. The river below the bridge was almost dry. He stood beneath the tree.
 5. He doesn't believe in God; he's an atheist. She is agnostic because she says it's not possible to know God.
 6. He has a horror of going to the dentist. She froze with terror hearing the scream.
 7. Please summon the witness into the room. The priest gave a long sermon on mercy.

SECTION D

- A. And B. Any reasonable answers are acceptable.



3. The Man in the Train

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (b)
- B. 1. The main character in the story is Black Beauty.
2. The initial four years of Black Beauty's life were spent playing, roaming freely and enjoying himself in the field.
3. Duchess advised Black Beauty to behave well so that he is treated well.
4. Squire Gordon was a horse lover who cared for his animals.
5. Black Beauty's friends were Ginger, Merrylegs and Sir Oliver.
6. Ginger was miserable because of the harsh treatment of her master.
7. With the Blomefield family Black Beauty lived a very peaceful and happy life as he found that his old groom, Joe Green, worked there and they recognised each other.
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. most popular: Quality - superlative [Noun - teacher]
2. most cooperative: Quality - superlative; Each: Distributive [Noun - student]
3. This: Demonstrative; innocent: Quality [Noun - (1st)child]; that: Demonstrative; guilty: Quality [Noun - (2nd) child]
4. Some: Quantitative [Noun - students]; vague: Quality [Noun - answers]
5. any: Quantitative [Noun - sugar]
6. Each: Distributive [Noun - student]; recitation: Quality [Noun -Competition]
7. Selfish - Quality [Noun - Giant]; favourite: Quality [Noun - story]
8. Whose: Interrogative [Noun - bag]
9. Which: Interrogative [Noun - TV serial]
10. What: Interrogative; electronic: Quality [Noun - goods]
- B. 1. most talented 2. most difficult 3. better 4. more 5. more handsome
6. simple/difficult 7. very good; exquisite 8. ignorant/indecisive; firm
- C. 1. patient 2. lively 3. Leafy 4. affectionate 5. lovely 6. Indian 7. British
8. Childlike/childish 9. girlish 10. womanly/womanhood
- D. 1. wisely 2. foolishly 3. hardly 4. softly 5. courageously 6. timidly 7. frankly
8. honestly 9. religiously 10. innocently
- E. 1. Have you seen the film 'Satyakam' wherein Dharmendra plays the lead?



2. Do you take a glass of milk regularly before you go to bed?
3. How old is he?
4. Where had you gone?/ Why did you go to the hospital?
5. When did you see the Taj Mahal?
6. What work does he do?/ What is he doing?

SECTION C

- A. 1. Scarcely 2. Simple/innocent 3. Father 4. The past 5. Cruel 6. Evening
 6. To live at a place 8. To think/to believe 9. Performed 10. Perhaps
- B. 1. Candidacy: a person's suitability for a particular fate, treatment or position
 Candidature: a person's application for suitability for a particular position, examination, etc.
2. Calendar: a chart or series of pages showing days, weeks, months of a year; list of special days or events
 Calender: roller-machine for pressing and smoothing cloth or paper
3. Casualty: accident, disaster, person killed or injured in an accident; soldier/sailor killed, wounded, missing
 Causality: the relationship between a cause and the effect it produces
4. Classical: of the best – e.g. Greek, Roman, Chinese, Indian art and literature; of proved value having passed test of time
 Classic: of the highest quality; having unquestioned value or position; traditional; famous because of long history
5. Comprise: include; have as parts or members
 Constitute: give somebody authority to hold a position; establish; give legal authority to; set up [committee]

SECTION D

- A. And B. Any reasonable answers are acceptable.

4. Solving Tough Problems of Life

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (b) 3. (a)
- B. 1. The two parts of the novel were 'Heidi: Her Years of Wandering and Learning' and 'Heidi: How She Used What She Learned'.
2. Her selfish aunt Dete left her with her grumpy old grandfather who disliked Heidi initially.
3. Aunt Dete took Heidi away to leave her with the Sesemann family as a companion to their daughter Clara who was thought to be an invalid.
4. Clara and her entire family took a liking for Heidi, except the strict housekeeper, Fraulein Rottenmeir.
5. Heidi was sent back to her grandfather because she was so homesick that her health was failing, she had begun sleepwalking and the doctor advised that she should be sent home.
6. Clara's father and grandmother were overjoyed to see Clara walking.
7. Heidi was a sunny, angelic and lovable child. She was very affectionate and won the love of people round her. She was devoted to her grandfather and loved the alpine village where she lived with him and played with her friend Peter. She learnt to read and write even though she was homesick and unhappy. She was kind, reading to Peter's grandmother, teaching Peter to read and helping Clara recover.
- C. 1. depicts 2. grumpy 3. strict 4. advises

SECTION B

- A. She, her, she, her, her, she, her, her, her, she (circle - Jodha)
whom (circle - parents)
his (circle - Akbar)
them (circle - Akbar's family)
which (circle - Serial Jodha-Akbar)
their (circle - Jodha-Akbar)
It, its (circle - TV serial)
- B. 1. You; I 2. me 3. I 4. myself 5. I 6. myself; we 7. We; us; what; them 8. Who
- C. 1. We [personal]; our [possessive]; their [possessive]
2. you, I, I [personal]; you [personal]
3. I, I, I [personal]; it [personal]
4. Our, her [possessive]; she [personal]
5. Whose [interrogative]; this [demonstrative]; it's (personal); mine [possessive]; you, it [personal]



6. What [interrogative]; your [possessive]
7. Who [interrogative]; this [demonstrative]
8. I [personal]
9. This, that [demonstrative]; mine, yours [possessive]
10. Who [interrogative]; you [personal]
- D. 1. I [personal]; myself [emphatic]; her [personal] 2. who [relative]; you [personal]; our [possessive]
3. Whose [interrogative]; that [demonstrative] 4. that [relative]; I [personal]
5. which [relative]; this [demonstrative]
- E. 1. Which 2. He/She 3. What 4. ours; theirs 5. What
- F. 1. that 2. which 3. What 4. Whom 5. Which
- G. 1. which [dog]; you [person addressed]; its [dog]; my [speaker]
2. who [politicians] 3. who [writer] 4. She [Rani Lakshmi Bai]; who [patriot of India]

SECTION C

- A. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. The following are illustrative:
1. Scientists are finding cures for several diseases. The final rites of the deceased soldier was performed with full honours.
 2. Happiness is a choice we have to make. Classical music gives me great pleasure.
 3. He received an honorary doctorate from the university. Standing up for his friend in class was an honourable act.
 4. The price of gold is showing a downward trend. The tunnel went downwards and it became dark.
 5. The books of Jane Austen are classics. Do you prefer Hindustani or Carnatic classical music?
 6. She hung up the painting in the drawing room. The killer was hanged according to the sentence.
 7. The appendixes to the book were very informative. Those two patients had their appendices removed.
 8. The experts will appraise the stock of grain today. Please apprise him about the leakage of water.
 9. There were exotic plants in the green house. There is a talk about greenhouse effect today at 11 am.
 10. Check the guarantee of the product before you buy it. The warranty period is two years for this TV.

SECTION D

- A. And B. Any reasonable answers are acceptable.



5. The Letter 'A'

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (c) 2. (a)
- B. 1. All the childhood memories of sea waves, the golden sand, the faith of the pilgrims and the Mosque Street in Rameshwaram reminded the poet of his mother.
2. The poet had to walk miles before sunrise first to take lessons from the saintly teacher near the temple, then to the Arab teaching school and then climb a sandy hill to Railway Station Road to collect newspapers and then distribute them to the citizens of Rameshwaram. After sunrise, he attended school. Business was settled in the evening and then at night, he studied.
3. The child's pain was transformed into pious strength watching his mother regularly at her prayers and her steady and unfailing generosity to people.
4. Mother's strong piety infused strength into the poet and other children of the family.
5. The memory of his mother is like a gift from God which enfolds him. Even though she is not with him, the poet feels her embrace when he sees things of his childhood that bring back memories of her.
6. There is a strong bond of love and respect between the poet and his mother. She taught him to be strong, hard-working, pious and generous. Even when she is not with him, he remembers her with love and respect.
- C. 1. segregate 2. forget 3. weakness 4. least
- D. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. The cattle are grazing in the field.
2. The news about terrorist attacks on the Indo-Pak borders is very alarming.
3. What is the result of the poem recitation competition?
4. My hundred-rupee note is not to be found in my locker.
5. My mother donated three-fourths of her pension to the blind school of Patparganj.
6. The members of the jury are divided on this legal issue.
7. The family astrologer has predicted about a lucky period for me from September onwards.
8. Lena and Gracy have recently become the executive members of the Students' Council of the school.
- B. 1. were 2. is 3. is 4. is 5. know 6. is 7. has 8. make 9. want 10. was
- C. 1. left [Intransitive]; make [Transitive - a noise]
2. removed [Transitive - encroachments]



3. empowers [Transitive - people]
4. hurts [Transitive - others]
5. play [Transitive - cricket]
6. criticise [Transitive - others]; are liked [Transitive - people]
7. has bought [Transitive - flat]
8. does [Transitive - yoga]
9. is [Transitive - that she is an egoist]
10. invited [Transitive - friends]

D. Any reasonable sentences using verbs transitively and intransitively are acceptable.

Examples: listen; fly/flew; sang; scold; eat; etc.

- E. 1. Starting 2. citing 3. answering 4. completing 5. finishing 6. telling
7. Taking 8. remaining candidates
- F. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION C

A. 1. supplementary 2. complementary 3. evolutionary 4. revolutionary 5. imaginary
Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

B. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable. The following are illustrative:

1. Old Mr Scrooge was very stingy. It is economical to check prices and performance before you buy anything.
2. The Parliament lays down the statute in India. They installed a statue of the founder.
3. The train was stationary for a long time. I have to purchase some stationery for the art competition.
4. The dance item will succeed the vocal music item. Please follow the guide inside.
5. I doubt the suitability of Sudha for this role. Check the adequacy of the ingredients before you begin.
6. She has sufficient experience to handle this. Thank you, I've eaten enough.
7. Open the windows to let in the sunlight. There's little sunshine visible in this fog.
8. The thought lay in his subconscious but he couldn't speak about it. The man fell unconscious on the road.

SECTION D

A. and B. Any reasonable answers are acceptable.

6. On Cats and Dogs

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (a)
- B. 1. Dodos were found on the island of Mauritius in the Indian Ocean.
2. The dodo was almost as big as a turkey. It had grey feathers all over with white ones on its breast and tail. It had a bulbous, hooked beak, short stubby legs and curly tail feathers. It was a flightless bird.
3. A Dutch trading vessel reached Mauritius in 1598 and discovered the dodos there.
4. Dodos were clumsy and slow-moving birds. Therefore, the Dutch found them easy to catch and good to eat. So they killed them.
5. Solitaires, birds related to the dodo, lived on the nearby islands of Runion and Rodriguez. They too were killed and were extinct by 1800. They belonged to the family Raphidae.
6. In about 50 years, dodos became extinct.
7. 'Alice in Wonderland' popularised the dodo.
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. is going to learn 2. visits 3. revise 4. eat; weakens 5. assisted 6. went; goes
7. revised; did 8. narrated 9. underwent; sings 10. have seen
- B. 1. is going 2. is going 3. should inaugurate 4. will be held 5. will leave
6. is going to address 7. shall write 8. will vote
- C. 1. will conduct 2. is going to begin 3. shall hold 4. will fall 5. going to
- D. 1. will 2. will 3. shall 4. shall 5. will inform 6. will be going
7. have invited 8. will be seen 9. is going to 10. falls

SECTION C

- A. 1. Sun 2. milk 3. hair dryer 4. glass 5. fridge
- B. The odd sentences in the paragraph are:
- (i) All the deemed universities of Delhi would follow the prescribed qualification for the appointment of teachers.
- (ii) The deemed universities are going to be classified on the basis of their academic standards shortly, the Chief Minister said.

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.



7. Ahmedabad – India's First World Heritage City

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. 371 km 2. Rajasthan; 323 km 3. mainly hilly; alluvial plain sloping eastwards
4. Kite festival; a flower show 5. Mazam; Watrak;
6. Sabarmati Riverfront; walkways; steps/ramps; ghats
- B. 1. The Sabarmati River originates in the Aravalli Hills of Rajasthan and meets the Gulf of Cambay of the Arabian Sea after flowing through Rajasthan and Gujarat.
2. The Sabarmati River is 371 km long with a basin that is 300 km long and a maximum width of 105 km. The total catchment area of the basin is 21674 square kilometres.
3. In Rajasthan the Sabarmati River runs through Udaipur, Sirohi, Pali and Dungarpur districts.
4. Four of the following: Sei, Wakal, Watrak, Shedhi, Harnav, Guhai, Hathmati, Khari, Meshvo, Mazam, Mohar.
5. Dharoi Dam is on the main Sabarmati River. Two of the dams upstream are Hathmati and Harnav.
6. Earlier the Sabarmati riverbed here was dry and the river was very polluted due to industrial effluents and sewage. There were slums on the river banks.
7. The Sabarmati Riverfront has embankments for 11 km on either side with wide walkways, access steps and ramps, and ghats. The lower level of the promenade is for cyclists and pedestrians and the upper level for civic amenities. Annual kite festivals and flower shows also attract tourists.
- C. 1. Originates 2. Tributary 3. Upstream 4. Effluents

SECTION B

- A. 1. always [Frequency]; reluctantly [Manner]
2. very [Degree]; patiently [Manner]
3. there; anywhere [Place]
4. here [Place]; safe [Manner]
5. better [Manner]
6. daily; annual [Frequency]
7. most [Degree]; regularly [Frequency]
8. leisurely [Manner]
9. very [Degree]
10. always [Frequency]
- B. 1. more manly – Comparative 2. most graciously – Superlative
3. as big as – Positive 4. most logically, convincingly – Superlative
5. As loudly as – Positive

- C. 1. She is the cleverest girl in class.
2. She is a very considerate teacher in our school.
3. This story is very interesting.
4. This is a better play than others I have seen. This is a very good play.
5. Some of the cases are more difficult than others for the judge to decide.
- D. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
- E. 1. absolutely 2. faster 3. easily 4. really 5. bravely
6. skilfully 7. playfully 8. particularly
- F. 1. Recently 2. regularly 3. next 4. reluctantly 5. happily; practically
Any reasonable sentences using the above adverbs are acceptable.
- G. Any reasonable sentences using adverbs as instructed are acceptable.

SECTION C

- A. level; mom; wow; kayak; civic; radar; rotor; reviver; Malayalam; etc. [any two]
B. 1. ply; fly; sly; ally; folly; manly; tally; sally; dally; rally; willy-nilly; etc. [any 10]

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.



8. On Saying "Please"

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. good impression; good; confident
2. well-mannered; respected
3. home; school; college; office; public places
4. receive; thank them for
5. polite/well-mannered
- B. 1. To have good manners we must be considerate and polite to others.
2. If you are polite and courteous, it shows that you are a thoughtful, considerate and cultured person.
3. A person with good manners is usually polite, humble, respectful, courteous, thoughtful and cultured.
4. A person who lacks good manners is generally seen to be rude and disrespectful, and disregards the feelings of others. He is, therefore, not liked or appreciated.
5. To make a request, a person should always say 'Please' and, if his request is fulfilled, he must say 'Thank you'.
6. When dealing with others we must remember the following:
(i) Be considerate about how others feel.
(ii) Behave in a respectful manner.
(iii) Always say 'Please', 'Thank you', etc.
- B. 1. Right 2. Appreciated/loved 3. Fault 4. (ask) pardon/forgiveness

SECTION B

- A. 1. If you have the right food and exercise, you maintain good health.
2. If you eat junk food, you develop all kinds of stomach problems.
3. When you go up in the high mountains, you will find the air is clear.
4. If you meditate daily, you will remain calm and peaceful.
5. If you live in a well-lighted house, you will find it lifts your mood.
- B. 1. You must get your parents' permission, if you want to go for the class picnic.
2. When it is very hot, people use air conditioners at night.
3. My parents will attend the prize distribution function if I am receiving a prize.
4. I will definitely help you as soon as I have finished my homework.
5. When you reach the crossing at Sai Chowk, take a left turn.

- C. 1. Since my father works in his office, the LG of Delhi would recommend my case for admission in the best school of Delhi.
 2. If you jumped from the roof, you would definitely break your bones.
 3. If you apply for the IIT entrance test at this age, you would not be allowed to appear for it.
 4. If she wins this election, she will be made the Chief Minister of Delhi.
 5. If she became blind, she would be heartbroken, but will be brave and work hard.
- D. 1. since; for 2. in; of 3. of; from 4. to; in 5. with; for 6. to; in
 7. with; on 8. with; over 9. through; over 10. between 11. from 12. for
- E. 1. from 2. between 3. of 4. During 5. Before/during/due to
- F. 1. Our classroom is well-lighted and is airy and spacious.
 2. Though he is a low-paid clerk, he always helps the poor and needy.
 3. You can have buttermilk or fruit juice but you are not allowed to have both.
 4. Since he missed some important lessons due to his illness, he is taking private tuition to make up for the loss.
 5. Our class teacher has made her the class monitor because she is very cooperative with all the children.
- G. 1. but 2. and 3. or 4. so 5. or 6. and 7. for 8. yet
- H. 1. Everyone in our apartments knows my younger brother as he is the best speaker in our apartments.
 2. Although father got transferred to 2-3 places in between, my sister studied in the same school till she passed out class X.
 3. Though he has never scored more than 25 runs in any matches he played for the school, he has been selected Captain of our school cricket team.
 4. The tall gentleman, whom you met a short while ago, is our new Vice Principal.
 5. The teacher asked me two questions regarding/about my telephone number and address.
- I. 1. as 2. when 3. if 4. as 5. before 6. Since 7. that 8. until 9. wherever

SECTION C

- A. 1. Suitable 2. Poisonous 3. Subconscious 4. Bowled 5. Waterproof
 6. Bedridden 7. Like-minded 8. Carefree 9. Road-worthy 10. Grief-stricken

SECTION D

- A. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.



9. The Bishop's Candlesticks

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. Scottish; playwright 2. Scotland; UK 3. The Bishop's Candlesticks
4. Shakespearean 5. 1899; King John
- B. 1. Norman McKinnel started his career following his father into the engineering business but later decided to enter the acting profession.
2. He first appeared on stage in Clacton-on-Sea in 1894.
3. He based himself in London in the beginning of his stage career. Later he travelled to the US, Australia and South Africa to perform on stage.
4. McKinnel's film career began in 1899 with 'King John'.
5. King John; Dombey and Son; The Outsider; The Sleeping Cardinal; The Fake; Everybody's Business. [any three]
6. McKinnel died of a heart attack in London on 29 March 1932, at the age of 62.
- C. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION B

- A. 1. Is chatting 2. will eat 3. is (she) shouting 4. cannot 5. is leaving
6. should go 7. should/ought to 8. mustn't 9. should 10. must
- B. 2. I have offered the most competitive rates, so I should expect to get the contract.
3. We don't have to spend a long time in the museum if it is not interesting.
4. You shouldn't have spoken of my friends like that.
5. He had promised to phone me before sunset. It's eight and he should have called by now.
6. My mother should/need not have made so many sandwiches.
7. My mother must know what I have done.
8. I don't think he should change his school now.
9. As my friend offered me a lift, I didn't need to hire a taxi.
10. We ought to check the arrival time of the flight before we leave for the airport.
- C. 1. should 2. might 3. ought to 4. Should 5. Would 6. May 7. Could 8. Would
9. Could 10. Should/ought to/must

SECTION C

- A. The question should read, give antonyms of the following words.
1. Asleep 2. Quieter 3. Empty 4. Fresh 6. Suburbs

- B. 1. Newspapers/TV news channels
2. Hospitals/Nursing homes/Clinics
3. Theatres/Films
4. Newspapers/Printers/Publishers of books, magazines, etc.
5. Buses/Trains/Metro
6. Restaurants
7. Tourist centres
8. Railway stations and airports
9. Markets/ Malls
10. Courts
- C. 1. editorial 2. homely 3. virtuous 4. mischievous 5. truthful
Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.

SECTION D

- A. and B. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.



10. Creating a New World

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (c)
- B. spring-sing; boughs-house; air-snare; alone-stone; sea-be [any three]
- C. 1. The sounds are the songs of birds like the thrush and the robin and the whispering air or breeze. In his imagination he hears the echo of the sea far away.
2. The poet desires to go to a covert where birds sing in a whitethorn bush and trees bloom over a house.
3. The air is moving through the leaves as a breeze and making a shushing sound, which sounds like a human whisper to the poet. Therefore, he calls it 'whispering air'.
4. In his imagination, the poet is carried away to a place where a clear stream flows, beside which is a mossy stone there and the sun is shining. He hears the sound of the sea echoing from far away.
5. The poet thinks the scene he is imagining is so beautiful as to be something that entices him. But it seems to assure him that it is not laying a trap to snare him into a false world. It is real and good.

SECTION B

- A. 1. some 2. any 3. These 4. Your 5. a few 6. many 7. several
8. enough 9. one 10. The
- B. 1. A person is judged by the language he or she uses.
2. The Central Board of Secondary Education is the most popular affiliating board of India.
3. Even an enemy can be your best friend if handled properly.
4. The Indian cricket team is one of the best cricket teams of the world .
5. The fundamental right to speak does not permit us to speak whatever we like.
- C. 1. the; the 2. a; X 3. X; the; the 4. an; the; X 5. an; an; a 6. The; the; the
7. a; an; a; the 8. X; an 9. a; X; X 10. the; X 11. some; some; a few; X
12. The; X; the; X
- D. 1. has always been admired 2. was hurt 3. is rehearsed 4. is being launched
5. will be completed 6. has never been elected 7. was purchased
8. was being painted 9. are held 10. are auctioned
- E. 1. This crucial information was given by somebody.
2. He was given an award of Rs one lac by the police. /He was awarded ₹ one lac by the police.

3. Dinner was finished by them before they finished their conversation./ The conversation was continued by them even after they had eaten their dinner.
 4. I was lent this storybook on my birthday by my friend.
 5. Weren't you asked to be here by five o'clock [by them]?
 6. She has never been treated like this before by anybody.
 7. These flats were built five years ago by the DDA.
 8. This issue has already been discussed at length [by us].
 9. The poor and the needy must always be helped.
 10. This must be done as quickly as possible [by you].
- F. 1. be given 2. be achieved 3. be built 4. be respected 5. be placed
6. be submitted 7. be delayed 8. be read

SECTION C

- A. 1. uncooperative 2. unkind 3. insensitive 4. inefficient 5. insufficient 6. unable
7. unpleasant 8. non-controversial 9. unparliamentary 10. extraordinary
- B. 1. alternative; alternate 2. egoist; egotistical 3. binary; bisect
4. extra-curricular; extraordinary 5. polytheist; polygon 6. ambidextrous; ambiguity
7. gynaecology; gynaecological 8. anthropology; anthropomorphic
9. psychology; psychiatrist 10. dermatology; dermatitis

SECTION D

- A. And B. Any reasonable answer is acceptable.

11. Chesterfield's Letter to his Son

Workbook

SECTION A

- A. 1. letters; Jawaharlal Nehru 2. Prayagraj (Allahabad); Mussoorie 3. Munshi Premchand
4. English; 1928 5. Jeanne d'Arc 6. Prison
- B. 1. The letters are written to his daughter, Indira Gandhi.
2. The letters were written in English in 1928, when he was in prison.
3. The letters were about the universe, nature, economics, geography, history, trade, languages, science, epics and evolution.
4. The main concerns of ordinary men were about their bread and butter, children and household worries.
5. Great leaders inspire people to heroic deeds for a great cause.
6. Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi is addressed as Bapuji. He helped his countrymen to great actions, noble sacrifice and to make the starving, the poor and the oppressed people free and happy.
- C. 1. renowned 2. oppressed 3. heroic

SECTION B

- A. 1. on account of her husband's posting- Adverb phrase
2. People shouting at others - Noun phrase
3. People making fun of others - Noun phrase
4. in just half an hour - Prepositional phrase
5. the newly elected MLA and MP - Noun phrase
of our region - Prepositional phrase
6. A three-bedroom house - Noun phrase
- B. Simple: 1, 2, 3, 4. Compound: 5, 8, 9. Complex: 6, 7, 10.
- C. 2. Her mother knew that she returned late last night from the wedding ceremony of her friend.
3. Due to his affectionate and cooperative nature, everyone loves him.
4. He met his childhood friend at the trade fair.
5. He runs a garage with his son's help.
- D. Any reasonable sentences are acceptable.
- E. 1. Manju, who topped the university merit list with 95% marks last year, is joining as Director of the English Teaching Institute.

2. I bought the latest model of the Honda City car, which is slowly moving out from the customer's choice, only six months ago.
 3. A metro train, that runs every ten minutes, goes to my workplace from my new residence.
 4. Late APJ Abdul Kalam, who was the 13th President of India, belonged to a very poor family in Rameshwaram in south India.
 5. We saw a steam engine that was made in 1885, at the railway museum.
- F.
1. when you have finished your work.
 2. because she was very irresponsible.
 3. if you have ensured all that had to be done.
 4. in order to check for errors.
 5. where he had last seen that man.
 6. as if he is explaining things to children.
- G.
1. They/ Everyone said that she was very beautiful but hadn't much aesthetic sense.
 2. He said that the mobile would never work again if I kept repairing it every now and then myself.
 3. I was told that all the guests and invitees had left last evening after the programme was over.
 4. I said that I must go to Patna next week to know his whereabouts.
 5. The doctor said that I might have to stay in bed for about a month due to that plaster.
- H.
1. He asked me which book I was talking about.
 2. I enquired whether I should complete that work before the next week.
 3. They asked if the train had been stopped by the agitators.
 4. The teacher asked me where I had kept my school bag.
 5. I was asked me if I knew who was coming to our city that day.
 6. The coach asked who the best football player in the world was.
- I.
1. The Principal said that the PTA meeting for this month would be held at four o'clock on second Saturday, 14 November in the school auditorium.
 2. She said that attending that meeting was compulsory for every parent as the school was going to discuss both the remedial programme for the weak students and the enrichment programme for the bright ones.
 3. A community lunch would also be organised for all parents attending that meeting as a small gesture after the PTA meeting is over.
 4. Parents would be allowed to meet the teachers at their pre-allotted time to discuss the problems of their children.
 5. In the past, some parents had not attended the PTA meetings regularly, with the result that they had been deprived of the educational benefit for which those meetings were organised.

SECTION C

- A. 1. ASSESSMENT 2. STRESS 3. EXAMINEE 4. MARKS 5. CURRICULUM
6. FEEDBACK 7. EVALUATION 8. SYSTEM 9. EXCELLENCE

SECTION D

- A. and B. Any reasonable answers are acceptable.